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Via email: 62989-31806440@requests.muckrock.com

Re: HQ-2019-00171-F

Dear Mr. Tait:

This is an interim response to the request for information that you sent to the Department of Energy (DOE) under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552. You requested the following:

All electronic records in the possession of the following individuals located in the DOE Loan Programs Office:

- -John Sneed
- -Dong Kwun Kim
- -Herbert Glaser
- -Robert Marcum
- -Douglas Schultz

received from or sent to individuals associated with the following organizations:

- -Southern Company (southernco.com)
- -Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia (meagpower.com)
- -JEA (jea.com)
- -Oglethorpe Power Company (opc.com)
- -PowerSouth (powersouth.com)

and containing the following keyword:

-Vogtle

The time frame of this public records request is between January 1, 2018, and the date of this filing.

Your request has been assigned to DOE's Loan Programs Office (LPO) to conduct a search of its files for responsive documents. Upon completion of the search and review of any records located, you will be provided a response.

In your request, you agreed to pay all applicable fees for processing of your request. For purposes of assessment of any fees, you have been categorized under the DOE regulation that implements the FOIA at Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Section 1004.9(b)(3), as a "news media" requester. Requesters in this category are charged fees for duplication only and are provided 100 pages at no cost.

You may contact DOE's FOIA Public Liaison, Alexander Morris, FOIA Officer, Office of Public Information, at 202-586-5955, or by mail at MA-46/Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, national Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Please refer to the above referenced number in any communications with the DOE about the request. If you have questions about the processing of the request or this letter, please contact Ms. Renee Harris in this office at MA-46/Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, or at 202-287-6733.

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you with this matter.

Sincerely.

Alexander C. Morris

FOIA Officer

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